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Re: **Application Serial No.: 09/945,480**  
Filing Date: August 31, 2001; First Named Inventor: Beck, Laurence A.  
Attorney Docket No.: 01CON234P

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Enclosed please find a Response to the Final Office Action dated June 8, 2005.

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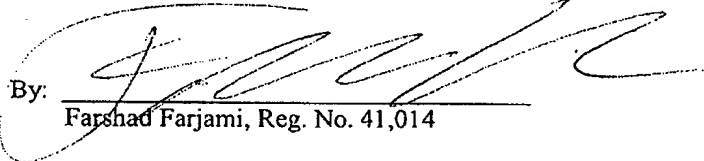
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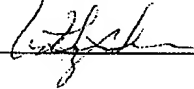
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This is submitted in response to the *Final* Office Action, dated June 8, 2005, in the above-referenced patent application. Please enter and consider the following remarks.